

DECLARATION FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN PATENT APPLICATION (37 CFR 1.63)

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Attorney Docket Number 2048-039
First Named Inventor David L. Goodale

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Application Number 09 / 780,804
Filing Date February 9, 2001
Group Art Unit 1743
Examiner Name

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

LATCH SYSTEM AND MODIFIED BLADE DESIGN FOR THICK STOPPER-CLOSED
CONTAINER SAMPLING PIERCING STATION

(Title of the Invention)

the specification of which

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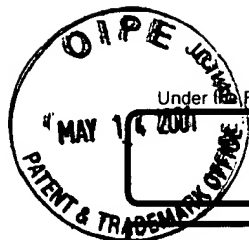
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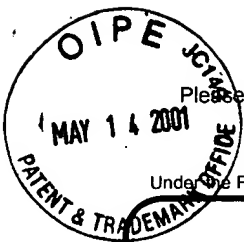
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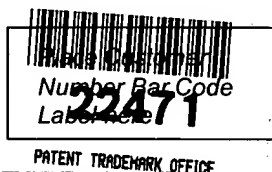
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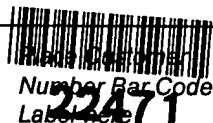
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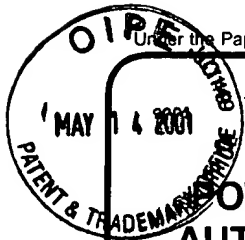
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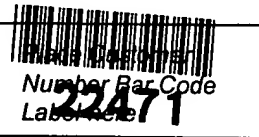
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